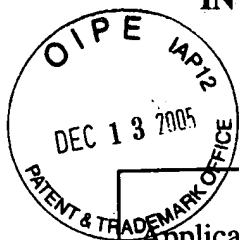


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Application of : Robert S. PHILLIPS, ET AL.
Filed: : November 1, 2000
Serial No. : 09/704,050
Title : INTERNET-BASED SHARED FILE
SERVICE WITH NATIVE PC CLIENT
ACCESS AND SEMANTICS AND
DISTRIBUTED ACCESS CONTROL

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2005, the time for response to which having been extended, to and including December 13, 2005, by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, and a Notice of Appeal being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 54 of this paper.